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Antlerless Moose Hunt Closes in Minto Flats

RM785 Minto Flats Management area Closes

Antlerless moose hunting in the Minto Flats portion of Unit 20B will close at 11:59 pm on Friday night, January 4, 2013.

The RM785 antlerless moose hunt is held in the Minto Flats Management Area. Current mild temperatures allowed more hunters into the field and hunter success rose.

“As of Wednesday, 89 antlerless moose were reported taken in this hunt. We expect to reach the harvest quota of 100-120 antlerless moose by Friday night, so we’re closing it,” said Assistant Area Biologist Tony Hollis.

Successful hunters must report their harvest within 5 days of the kill by reporting online at <http://hunt.alaska.gov>, by bringing their report to the ADF&G office in Fairbanks or by calling 459-7272. Unsuccessful hunters must report no later than March 15 in person, online or by mail to the Fairbanks ADF&G office.

The Board of Game authorized the Department to open registration permit hunt RM785 for antlerless moose in Unit 20B between October 15 and February 28, and close it by emergency order when the quota was met.

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